

USUHS Medical Students

Step 1: If you volunteer to attend the US Army Flight Surgeon Primary Course, ensure that you can obtain permissive-TDY (in some limited cases, you might be allowed by USUHS to attend on TDY orders)

Step 2: Get flight physical (FDME)

If it is less than 4 weeks from the start of the course and you have not completed a flight physical, [contact the faculty](#) assistant now!

- Schedule Class 2 initial flight physical with any local military aviation medicine clinic
- Ensure the aviation medicine clinic puts the following into your health record:
 1. Copy of the flight physical
 2. Copy of any Aeromedical Summaries (Waivers or Information Only)-only if needed
 3. Current and valid upslip (can simultaneously start Step 3 at this point)
- Ensure the aviation medicine clinic forwards the following to USAAMA at Ft Rucker
 1. Original flight physical
 2. Original Aeromedical Summaries (Waivers or Information Only)
- Contact USAAMA two weeks after physical is submitted to:
 1. Verify USAAMA's receipt of flight physical
 2. Have USAAMA check physical for deficiencies
 3. Get USAAMA's estimated return date of the physical to the aviation medicine clinic
- Prior to departing for the flight surgeon course, obtain (and bring) the following with your health record:
 1. Original USAAMA-qualified flight physical or copy if physical is not returned before departing to the flight surgeon course
 2. Any original USAAMA-qualified Aeromedical Summaries (Waivers or Information Only) or copies if Aeromedical Summaries are not returned before departing to the flight surgeon course
 3. Current and valid upslip

Step 3: If/when the flight physical is qualified and upslip is granted, immediately enroll into ATRRS and arrange to get orders:

- Contact your POC below to arrange enrollment into ATRRS and assist getting PTDY (or TDY orders, as applicable).

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Step 4: Contact [\[AFSPC course director\]](#) to:

1. Notify of flight physical status
2. Verify seat in the class
3. Verify orders and funding have been arranged
4. Update demographic data needed for course

Step 5: Contact Billeting to confirm room reservations: DSN 558-2626 or commercial (334) 255-2626 or (334) 598-5216.

- Contact [\[Course NCOIC\]](#) for any problems, to include billeting not having a reservation for you.